August 11, 2000

Re: 00-0343

Christopher R. Day Atty. for Looking Glass Network, Inc. Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP 3000 K St., NW, Ste. 300 Washington, DC 20007-5116

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed is a copy of the Memorandum from the Hearing Examiner to the Commission regarding recommended action at the Bench Session on August 9, 2000. The Order presented to the Commission was entered with no changes and therefore, is not enclosed.

Sincerely,

Donna M. Caton Chief Clerk

DMC:bjs Enclosure

Docket No: 00-0343 Bench Date: 8/9/00 Deadline: N/A

MEMORANI	D U	M
----------	-----	---

TO: The Commission

FROM: Deborah King, Hearing Examiner

DATE: July 31, 2000

SUBJECT: Looking Glass Network, Inc.

Application for a Certificate of Local and Interexchange Authority to operate as a facilities-based carrier of telecommunications services throughout the State of Illinois.

RECOMMENDATION: Enter Order granting Applicant Certificates of Service Authority.

Applicant, Looking Glass Networks, Inc., a Delaware corporation registered to do business in Illinois, is seeking Certificates of Service Authority, to provide telecommunications services within the State of Illinois pursuant to Section 13-403 and 13-405 of the Illinois Public Utilities Act. Applicant demonstrated that it has the necessary financial, managerial and technical resources to operate its business. Accordingly, I recommend that Applicant be granted a Certificate of Exchange Service Authority and a Certificate of Interexchange Service Authority.

DK:fs